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(1) MSS SP-75-2019 Standard Practice, High-Strength, Wrought, Butt-Welding Fittings, published December 2019, (MSS SP-75); IBR approved for § 195.118(a).

(2) [Reserved]

(g) Association for Materials Protection and Performance (AMPP), 15835 Park Ten Place, Houston, TX 77084; phone: (800) 797-6223; website: <https://ampp.org/standards>.

(4) NACE SP0204-2015, Stress Corrosion Cracking (SSC) Direct Assessment Methodology, Revised March 14, 2015, (NACE SP0204); IBR approved for § 195.588(c).

§ 195.5 [AMENDED]

■ 33. In § 195.5 paragraph (a)(1)(i), remove the text “ASME/ANSI B31.8” and add, in its place, the text “ASME B31.8”.

■ 34. In § 195.58, revise paragraph (a) to read as follows:

§ 195.58 Reporting submission requirements.

(a) General. Except as provided in paragraphs (b) and (e) of this section, an operator must submit each report required by this part electronically to PHMSA at <https://portal.phmsa.dot.gov> unless an alternative reporting method is authorized in accordance with paragraph (d) of this section.

■ 35. In § 195.59, revise paragraph (a) to read as follows:

§ 195.59 Abandonment or deactivation of facilities.

(a) The preferred method to submit data on pipeline facilities abandoned after October 10, 2000, is to the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) in accordance with the NPMS “Standards for Pipeline and Liquefied Natural Gas Operator Submissions.” To obtain a copy of the NPMS standards, please refer to the NPMS homepage at <https://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov>. A digital data format is preferred, but hard copy submissions are acceptable if they comply with the NPMS Standards. In addition to the NPMS-required attributes, operators must submit the date of abandonment, diameter, method of abandonment, and certification that, to the best of the operator’s knowledge, all of the reasonably available information requested was provided and, to the best of the operator’s knowledge, the abandonment was completed in accordance with

applicable laws. Refer to the NPMS Standards for details in preparing your data for submission. The NPMS Standards also include details of how to submit data. Alternatively, operators may submit reports by mail, fax or email to the Office of Pipeline Safety, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, Information Resources Manager, PHP-10, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590-0001; fax: (202) 366-4566; email: InformationResourcesManager@dot.gov. The information in the report must contain all reasonably available information related to the facility, including information in the possession of a third party. The report must contain the location, size, date, method of abandonment, and a certification that the facility has been abandoned in accordance with all applicable laws.

§ 195.106 [AMENDED]

■ 36. In § 195.106, amend paragraphs (b)(1)(i) and (e)(1) by removing the text “ANSI/API Spec 5L” and adding, in its place, the text “API Spec 5L”.

§ 195.110 [AMENDED]

■ 37. In § 195.110 paragraph (a), remove the text “ASME/ANSI B31.4” and add, in its place, the words “ASME B31.4”.

§ 195.116 [AMENDED]

■ 38. In § 195.116 paragraph (d), remove the text “ANSI/API Spec 6D” and add, in its place, the text “API Spec 6D”.

§ 195.214 [AMENDED]

■ 39. In § 195.214 paragraph (a), remove the text “section 5” and add, in its place, the text “section 5 (except for Note 2 in section 5.4.2.2)”.

■ 40. Amend § 195.307 by:
■ a. Revising paragraph (c); and
■ b. Removing in paragraph (d), the text “API Standard 653” and adding, in its place, the text “API Std 653”.

The revision reads as follows:

§ 195.307 Pressure testing aboveground breakout tanks.

(c) For aboveground breakout tanks built to API Std 650 (incorporated by reference, see § 195.3) that were first placed into service after October 2, 2000, testing must be conducted in accordance with Sections 7.3.6 and 7.3.7 of API Std 650.

§ 195.405 [AMENDED]

■ 41. In § 195.405 paragraph (b), remove the text “API Pub 2026”, wherever it

appears, and add, in its place, the text “API RP 2026”.

§ 195.406 [AMENDED]

■ 42. In § 195.406 paragraph (a)(1)(i), remove the text “ASME/ANSI B31.8” and add, in its place, the text “ASME B31.8”.

§ 195.428 [AMENDED]

■ 43. In § 195.428 paragraph (c), remove the text “API RP 2350”, wherever it appears, and add, in its place, the text “API Std 2350”.

§ 195.565 [AMENDED]

■ 44. In § 195.565, remove the text “ANSI/API RP 651”, wherever it appears, and add, in its place, the text “API RP 651”.

§ 195.588 [AMENDED]

■ 45. In § 195.588 paragraph (c), remove the text “NACE SP0204-2008”, wherever it appears, and add, in its place, the text “NACE SP0204”.

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Tristan H. Brown,

Deputy Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

50 CFR Part 679

[Docket No. 240227-0061; RTID 0648-XD879]

Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Gulf of Alaska; Final 2024 and 2025 Harvest Specifications for Groundfish; 2024 Rockfish Program Cooperative Allocations

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Temporary rule.

SUMMARY: NMFS is providing notification for the Rockfish Program cooperative allocations as described in the final rule that published on March 4, 2024, implementing the final 2024 and 2025 harvest specifications and prohibited species catch limits for the groundfish fishery of the Gulf of Alaska (GOA). These allocations are necessary to provide the Rockfish Program cooperative amounts for 2024, thus allowing commercial fishermen to

maximize their economic opportunities in this fishery. This notification comports with the Fishery Management Plan (FMP) for Groundfish of the GOA (GOA FMP).

DATES: Effective 1,200 hours, Alaska local time (A.l.t.), May 1, 2024, through 1,200 hours, A.l.t., December 31, 2024.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Abby Jahn, 907-586-7228.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: NMFS manages the groundfish fishery in the GOA exclusive economic zone according to the FMP prepared by the North Pacific Fishery Management

Council under authority of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (Magnuson-Stevens Act). Regulations governing fishing by U.S. vessels in accordance with the FMP appear at subpart H of 50 CFR part 600 and 50 CFR parts 679 and 680.

As described in the final 2024 and 2025 harvest specifications for groundfish of the Gulf of Alaska, allocations among vessels belonging to catcher vessel (CV) cooperatives or catcher/processor (CP) cooperatives are not included in the final harvest

specifications (March 4, 2024, 89 FR 15484). Rockfish Program applications for CV cooperatives and CP cooperatives are not due to NMFS until March 1 of each calendar year; therefore, NMFS cannot calculate 2024 and 2025 allocations in conjunction with the final harvest specifications (§ 679.81(f)). NMFS has received the 2024 Rockfish Program applications and has calculated the 2024 allocations for CV cooperatives and CP cooperatives, as set forth in § 679.81(b), (c), and (e). NMFS is listing the 2024 allocations in table 1.

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Table 1 -- 2024 Rockfish Program Cooperative Allocations

Entry Level	Group code	Species Group	Metric tons
Rockfish Program Entry Level	401	Pacific Ocean Perch	5
		Northern Rockfish	5
		Dusky Rockfish	50
Catcher/Processor Cooperatives			
Gulf of Alaska Rockfish Best Use Cooperative	412	Pacific Ocean Perch	9898.095
		Thornyhead Rockfish	183.645
		Halibut	74.1
		Sablefish	338.75
		Northern Rockfish	791.509
		Rougheye/Blackspotted Rockfish	185.441
		Shortraker Rockfish	75.6
		Dusky Rockfish	2665.296

Catcher Vessel Cooperatives			
Silver Bay Seafoods Rockfish Cooperative	407	Pacific Cod	146.372
		Pacific Ocean Perch	4066.489
		Thornyhead Rockfish	13.517
		Halibut	29.183
		Sablefish	162.791
		Northern Rockfish	277.527
		Dusky Rockfish	966.522
North Pacific Rockfish Cooperative	408	Pacific Cod	94.923
		Pacific Ocean Perch	2583.116
		Thornyhead Rockfish	8.766
		Halibut	18.925
		Sablefish	105.572
		Northern Rockfish	170.51
		Dusky Rockfish	724.616
OBSI Rockfish Cooperative	409	Pacific Cod	129.555
		Pacific Ocean Perch	3189.151
		Thornyhead Rockfish	11.964
		Halibut	25.83
		Sablefish	144.088
		Northern Rockfish	273.706
		Dusky Rockfish	1068.762
Western Alaska Fisheries Rockfish Cooperative	410	Pacific Cod	57.915
		Pacific Ocean Perch	1881.135
		Thornyhead Rockfish	5.348
		Halibut	11.547
		Sablefish	64.412
		Northern Rockfish	83.669
		Dusky Rockfish	280.738
Star of Kodiak Rockfish Cooperative	411	Pacific Cod	159.575
		Pacific Ocean Perch	3634.013
		Thornyhead Rockfish	14.736
		Halibut	31.815
		Sablefish	177.475
		Northern Rockfish	378.079
		Dusky Rockfish	1359.067

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Classification

NMFS issues this action pursuant to section 305(d) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act. Through previous actions, the FMP and regulations are designed to authorize NMFS to take this action. See 50 CFR part 679. This action is exempt from review under Executive Order 12866.

The Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NOAA, finds good cause to waive the requirement to provide prior notice and opportunity for public comment pursuant to the authority set forth at 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(B), as such

requirement is unnecessary and contrary to the public interest. This notification provides information on the 2024 Rockfish Program cooperative allocations, and does not change operating practices in the fisheries. This notification is consistent with the harvest specifications recommended by the North Pacific Fishery Management Council in December 2023 and implemented by NMFS in the final rule for the 2024 and 2025 harvest specifications (89 FR 15484, March 4, 2024). Those harvest specifications specify the final total allowable catch (TAC) limits from which NMFS calculates the Rockfish Program

cooperative allocations based on existing regulations, which were implemented through prior notice and comment rulemaking (§ 679.81(b), (c), and (e)). The public was provided with notice and opportunity to comment during the public comment period for the proposed harvest specifications (88 FR 85184, December 7, 2023) and has had notice of the final harvest specifications implementing the final TAC limits (89 FR 15484, March 4, 2024). Because the public already had a meaningful opportunity to comment on the TAC limits from which these allocations are derived, further opportunity for public comment is

unnecessary and would not be meaningful.

This notification announces the Rockfish Program cooperative allocations based on applications received after the publication of the 2024 and 2025 harvest specifications. If this notification is delayed to allow for notice and comment it could also result in confusion for participants in the Rockfish Program given that the final

rule implementing the 2024 and 2025 harvest specifications is effective and the Rockfish Program fishery opens May 1, 2024. Therefore, the Assistant Administrator finds good cause to waive the requirement to provide prior notice and opportunity for public comment. For the reasons above, the Assistant Administrator also finds good cause under 5 U.S.C. 553(d)(3) to waive the 30-day delay in effective date and make

this rule effective immediately upon publication.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: April 23, 2024.

Everett Wayne Baxter,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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